HOUSE BILL 1773 By West

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, relative to firearms.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1305(c), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

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(3) Authorized to carry a firearm under § 39-17-1351 who is not consuming beer, wine or any alcoholic beverage.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1310(4), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(4) A person entering the property who does not remove, utilize or allow to be removed or utilized any weapon from the vehicle.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.